# County Lines



#### **TCOB MEETINGS**

#### **Commissioners**

6/6 10:00 am Tippecanoe Room 6/20 10:00 am Tippecanoe Room

#### Council

6/14 1:00 pm Tippecanoe Room 6/14 2:00 pm Tippecanoe Room PUBLIC HEARING

#### **Department Heads**

6/15 Noon Tippecanoe Room



A big round of applause for Kevin Becker and crew. of

our County Park & Recreation Maintenance Department, as they undoubtedly outdo themselves every year with their meticulous care of the Courthouse groundstruly a work of art in progress. No wonder the 'Round the Fountain Art Fair loves this location. It's beautiful! Thank you, Kevin, and coworkers. We notice!!!











#### DAY HIKE SET FOR JUNE 4<sup>TH</sup>

The Wabash Heritage Trail will be the scene for a National Trail Day hike that will start at 4:00 pm Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, rain or shine.

Trail manager Kathy Smith said the public is invited to hike from the north terminus, near the parking lot at the Tippecanoe Battlefield, to a point about 1.5 miles south, then return

Snacks and cold drinks will be provided, and a raffle will be held for commemorative T-shirts.

For more information, call Kathy Smith at 567-6218.



Flag Day is June 14<sup>th</sup>. For a history of the occasion, click on the following link: http://www.usflag.org/history/flagday.html

### MEMO from **HUMAN RESOURCES**

**Next County Employee Blood Drive** will be Tuesday. June 14th, from 8:00 to 11:00 am. The bloodmobile will be parked on N. 3rd Street next to TCOB. Please, plan to donate and help avoid a summer shortage. Give the gift of life! Call **HR** for your specific giving time.

#### **PERF/ISTRF Retirement Seminar:**

Purdue Employees' Federal Credit Union is hosting a retirement seminar for PERF and ISTRF members. The seminar will be Tuesday, June 21, 2005, from 6:30-8:00 pm at the PEFCU Financial Mall. For more information, see Frank's 5/6/05 posting on your Microsoft Bulletin Board.

Do you know how to retrieve YOUR **COUNTY EMAIL** from home or elsewhere? If not, see Teresa Duncan's 5/19/05 posting on YOUR MICROSOFT BULLETIN BOARD. Do you know how to access YOUR MICROSOFT BULLETIN **BOARD?** Call 711 TODAY for friendly helpful

service!

## **JUNE ANNIVERSARIES:**

15 YEARS

Judy Bridwell

10 YEARS

Marilyn Smith



#### **5 YEARS**

Charles Hagan Bryan Walker Susanna Brown Kimberly Funk

## **THANK YOU!**

**FYI:** The wheel tax chart is on the web. You can get to it from "County Documents" on our home page:

http://www.tippecanoe.in.gov/eg ov/docs/1115826320954.htm

Thank you, Becky of MITS.

## The Wabash Riverfest

is Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup>, this year and will once again be held at West Lafayette's Tapawingo Park. Plan to come and cheer for your Tippecanoe County Employee Team of Paddlers in the Dragonboat Races. Or better yet, join the team! It's a short-term commitment and a lot of fun. Call Linda at 215 to learn more.



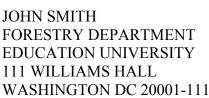
PLEASE, RETURN EMPTY INTER-OFFICE **ENVELOPES TO** THE MAILROOM!

## More about mail...

To take advantage of postage discounts, mail must be addressed properly.

#### **Examples of good addresses:**

JIM WILLIAMS XYZ COMPANY 12345 SW JONES ST NEW YORK NY 10001-2453



JOHN SMITH FORESTRY DEPARTMENT FOREIGN UNIVERSITY 100 WITHAM HALL LONDON 1GH423 ENGLAND



Mail

#### **Example of a problem address:**

Mr. James Jones (italics; serif font; punctuation)

4417 Brooks St. N.E.

Washington, D.C. 20019-4649

Attn: R. Jones (information below city, state, zip line)

#### **REMEMBER, PLEASE,** when addressing:

- ✓ Left Aligned
- ✓ NO punctuation (except hyphen in zip code)
- ✓ USE Sans Serif Font (such as Arial, New Times Roman, Verdana, Tahoma, Helvetica)
- ✓ 10-12 point font size
- ✓ USE ALL CAPS
- ✓ NO letters touching (top to bottom; side to side)
- ✓ NO logo or extraneous printing below or to the left of delivery address line
- ✓ NO information below the delivery address line
- Delivery address MUST be immediately above city, state, zip line
- ✓ Address must be completely visible through window
- NO italic, bold, condensed, artistic, or script-like fonts

# PLEASE, HELP THE COUNTY MOUNTYS



STOMP OUT CANCER

at the

# 2005 RELAY FOR LIFE

# Thank You to the following for joining the County Mounty Team:

Bea Figueroa, Christa Coffey, Donella Carter, Ellie Mlynarik, Glenda Robinette, Jennifer Weston, Julie Kantz, Kathy Ramey, Marcia Muller, Margy Deverall, Melinda Greer, Oneta Tolle, Pam Eiler, Ruth Shedd, Sharon Gilbert

Contact any or all of the above to lend your support by donating what you can afford to help find a cure and

#### STOMP OUT CANCER!

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#### SILENT AUCTION

When: June 24, 2005 Where: Jeff Track Why: Raise \$ for Cancer What: Miscellaneous items

Please come out and walk'n'shop! Items will be awarded to the winning bidder that evening.

County Mountys are donating several items, i.e.:

Gift Certificates, Bicycle, Longaberger, Vera Bradley, Bruno's Pizza for a year, and MORE.

**PARKING...** Please, inform Susan Timmons at extension 597 if you have a different vehicle, license plate number, or name.













#### 2006 BUDGET CALENDAR FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENT

The following schedule will be observed in the creation and establishment of the 2006 Budget for Tippecanoe County Government to be followed in 2005.

May 20, 2005: 4:30 p.m. Friday

 Requests for new employees must be submitted to the Commissioners.
 Department heads with requests deemed viable by the Commissioners will be notified to make a presentation in a public meeting. (Due to fiscal constraints, new positions are unlikely to be funded.)

June 6, 2005: 10:00 a.m. Monday

 Presentations by department heads notified to appear with new position requests.

June 13, 2005: 4:30 p.m. Monday

• All Capital Outlay requests must be submitted to the Commissioners' Office.

June 20, 2005: 10:00 a.m. Monday

 Recommendations for Approval or Disapproval of the personnel requests by the Commissioners.

June 24, 2005: 4:30 p.m. Friday

 Commissioners' recommendations for approval or denial of Capital Outlay.

July 1, 2005: 4:30 p.m. Friday

• All Salary Statements are due in the Auditor's Office (IC 36-2-5-4a).

July 5, 2005: 10:00 a.m. Tuesday

 Formal Presentation of Salary Statements by Auditor to County Commissioners in accordance with Indiana Code (IC 36-2-5-4-b).

July 8, 2005: 4:30 p.m. Friday

 All Budgets are due in the Auditor's Office





September 17<sup>th</sup> is the date of the American Heart

Association's **HEART** 

WALK. The Cities of
Lafayette and West Lafayette
are challenging Tippecanoe
County Government in a
fundraiser. What we need right
now is a volunteer to organize
and motivate us.
If this sounds like something
you are capable of, please,
consider this worthy task.
Call or email Linda Horton or
Jennifer Weston in the
Commissioners' Office.





Learn and Live ...



## Support Group

A six-week group to discuss and offer support on such issues as:

- Discipline
- Effective Reinforcement
- Decreasing Conflicts
- Consequences
- Available Resources
   Wednesdays
   June 15 through July 20,
   2005

7:00 pm to 8:00 pm OPEN TO ALL PARENTS!

## **FREE**

Please, contact Rebecca at 474-4616 xt. 222 to sign up for group or for more information.



# Paper usage countywide is UP.

If what you are printing is not a legal document or doesn't require new paper, how about printing on the back of scrap paper, like Area Plan Commission and the Auditor's Office sometimes do? Things that are later thrown away, like newsletters and agendas, are good examples. Together, we can make a difference.

#### CASA CALLOUT

CASA will hold an informational meeting for potential volunteers from 6:30 to 7:30 pm Monday, June 13th in the Tippecanoe Room of TCOB. CASA stands for Court Appointed Special Advocate. Volunteers are advocates for abused and/or neglected children. Training classes begin Tuesday, June 21st. Training includes 30 hours of class time spread out over about 6 weeks. Volunteers must be at least 21, live in Tippecanoe County, and willing to commit to at least 1 year of service. For more information, call 423-9109.

